

Warden at Milaca is Under Fire

CHARGE C. E. LUCAS, GAME WARDEN, WITH SHOWING PARTIALITY IN ARRESTS

Milaca, Minn., Dec. 22.—(UP)—Ouster proceedings against C. E. Lucas, game warden for the local district, today had been taken under advisement and an investigation of charges ordered.

Charges that Lucas had made an undue number of arrests and that he had shown partiality were made by a group headed by B. E. Emmons, county commissioner, W. T. Cox, member of the state conservation commission, and Louis Enstrom, deputy state game and fish commissioner, conducted the hearing.

Enstrom said a further investigation would be made before any decision was reached on the requested discharge of Lucas.

Kellogg Expresses Faith in Americans in Crisis

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 22.—(UP)—The courage which Americans have displayed in other crises will carry them through the present depression, Frank B. Kellogg, former secretary of state and world court judge, said today on his 65th birthday.

He believes the world is paying now the economic price of the world war but he said civilization is steady and eventually good times will return. Kellogg urged more thrift in all governmental activities as one of the means of aiding in the return of prosperity.

See First Move of G. O. P. to Control House

St. Paul, Dec. 22.—(UP)—Republican organization of an active anti-prohibition bloc in the house of representatives is the first move on the part of the republicans to regain control of congress, Representative Melvin J. Maas, Rep., Minn., said today.

Maas, who is making a holiday visit in the Twin Cities, said that the republicans will go to the Chicago national convention prepared to fight for a wet plank in the party platform.

Olmsted Bank Reopens With \$75,000 Capital

Rochester, Minn., Dec. 22.—(UP)—The Olmsted County Bank and Trust Co. today reopened its doors for business today with capital of \$75,000 and surplus of \$15,000. The bank was closed after heavy withdrawals on Oct. 1.

St. Cloud Residents Face Liquor Sentences

St. Cloud, Minn., Dec. 22.—(UP)—A dozen St. Cloud residents today faced penalties for liquor law violations after federal prohibition agents from St. Paul conducted a raid which included a local restaurant.

Commissioner J. I. Donahue planned to hear charges against all of the alleged bootleggers today. Most of the suspects were arrested at the restaurant which was known as "Morocco."

Hold Duluth Man for Possession of Stolen Bonds

Los Angeles, Calif., Dec. 22.—(UP)—R. C. Block, 46, an Osage Indian and said to be a former millionaire, was held in jail today on a charge of suspicion to robbery. In his possession officers said they found bonds, believed stolen in Duluth, Minn. The man, however, claimed he had purchased them.

Dismisses Eight Charges Against Warehouse Board

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 22.—(UP)—Governor Floyd B. Olson today narrowed the issues in the elevator M hearing to three charges when he dismissed all but three vital points in the hearing on charges of malfeasance against the state railroad and warehouse commission.

The three charges which have not been dismissed of the original 14 charges allege:

1. "That the railroad and warehouse commission countenanced the issuance of false warehouse receipts;
2. "That the official samples supposed to be taken by the commission were tampered with;
3. "That the commission failed to act after the above matters were brought to its attention."

With an average capacity of 16,000 horsepower each, two turbines, said to be the largest in the world, have been built for a government hydro-electric plant in Sweden.

THEORY THAT SANTA CLAUS IS A MYTH EXPLODED BY MISSOURIAN OF THAT NAME

Slater, Mo., Dec. 22.—(UP)—In a little Missouri farmhouse, far removed from the bustle of belated Christmas shoppers in urban centers, Santa Claus made ready today for his annual Yuletide visit.

Santa Claus lives on a farm near Slater in the person of a stalwart Missouri farmer, who bears that name. He is lanky, slightly gray, and lives with his wife, six children and a small grandson.

Existence of Santa Claus in the flesh may upset the equanimity of those scoffers who year after year have brazenly proclaimed him as a myth, but they have only to go to his home and see him to be convinced that he lives.

Such as care to make that journey to allay their doubts will find him busy himself about the farmhouse, and eagerly awaiting the approach of that hour on Christmas Eve when he makes his annual trip.

It will be a short trip. It will include a stop at various cranberries about the house where for days gifts have been concealed from impatient eyes and prying young hands, and will end at the hearth where hang the stockings of his family.

Santa Claus, like many others, has had a bad year.

He fell last spring and broke his leg, and was laid up for a long spell when his work was needed most on the farm. The crops didn't turn out well. There was sickness in the family.

But he found the means to bring the holiday spirit to his own home, and is content and wished:

"A good Christmas to children everywhere."

CITY SLASHES WAGES

Hoover Strongly Refutes Word U. S. Will Quit Gold Standard

PRESIDENT WILL FIGHT ANY MOVE TO DESERT CURRENCY

OFFICIALS REFUSE TO RECOGNIZE REPORTS CIRCULATING IN FOREIGN COUNTRIES

Washington, Dec. 22.—(UP)—President Hoover will stand to the end behind the gold standard.

No credence is given here to reports circulating in many foreign countries that the United States is about to follow England and Japan and desert gold as the foundation of its currency. They are classed here as foreign propaganda.

Despite this stand, however, pressure is growing for diluting the currency system, for shifting to bi-metalism, for in some way bringing silver into the currency foundation.

Some senators and congressmen are hearing from their constituents.

Great Britain's pound has declined from about \$4.85 down to \$3.39. That difference can be sliced off the price of articles exported to America and the British seller will still receive the same amount of British money for his sale.

Canada's exchange, though technically still on a gold basis, is off about 18 per cent. The same is true of numerous countries which have gone off the gold standard. All 23 have done this.

Efforts to meet this by raising the tariff through the flexible provision are beginning. The senate has ordered the tariff commission to investigate the effect of the Canadian exchange situation on imports of wood pulp. Sentiment among many republicans is for tariff action on imported articles causing the most trouble.

The other method suggested is to adjust the American currency. Dill is one of its advocates. He says tariff relief would only be temporary and would be nullified by subsequent inflation abroad.

"This condition is just another illustration of the absolute necessity of our government's getting on such a money basis that the money of the world will be standardized on a common valuation scale," he told the senate. "The real remedy is not to be found in tariff on an equal-value basis, and then having more currency for the use of the world by enlarging the basis of currency by including silver on a monetary basis along with gold."

CITIES REBEL AGAINST HEAVY TAX BURDENS

GERMAN BARON AIDS CULBERTSON PILE UP BIG LEAD OVER LENZ

New York, Dec. 22.—(UP)—Ely Culbertson, aided no little by a lean and lanky young German baron, last night gave a huff and a puff and almost blew Sidney Lenz's card house down in the far-famed Culbertson-Lenz contract bridge match.

Big Bear Ely, and middle-aged Baron Waldemar von Zedtwitz started the evening, 7,915 points ahead of Sidney Lenz and Oswald Jacoby. By the time they got through huffing and puffing last night they were 11,120 points to the good.

This great gain was due mainly to a very large puff by his baronical highness, von Zedtwitz, who bid himself a small slam in diamonds on the last hand of the evening and promptly made same.

Community of Brainerd and Crow Wing county has again shown the bigness of heart—a bigness evidenced in many emergencies.

Just three days ago, The Daily Dispatch issued an appeal for the adoption of 13 of the neediest families of Crow Wing county for Christmas. Today, all families had been adopted and sufficient additional food and clothing contributed to make Christmas long to be remembered by the needy.

The families have been taken by individuals and groups in less than a week of joyous giving. Even after all families had been reported adopted, there was that urge to give and, as the result, other needy families will receive the benefit of this community's fine display of giving that will make Christmas a day of genuine happiness.

Residents came to the rescue of these families with liberal contributions of cash, food, clothing and other articles including toys for the children. Today, the five remaining families were all taken, one by employees of a state department here, another by the members of the staff of the daily newspaper, a third through a \$10 cash donation from a news agency operator and the others through gifts of groceries, clothing and other articles by individual citizens.

Tuesday, one man who refused to reveal his name, handed a check for \$15 to The Daily Dispatch to care for one of the families. The spirit displayed by this example characterized the giving in every respect.

In behalf of the families adopted, Lottie Odell, secretary of the Crow Wing County Child Welfare board who joined in the plea of The Daily Dispatch for aid, today expressed a message of thanks to all the benefactors. "The gratifying response to the appeal was wonderful. In behalf of the families, I want to thank The Daily Dispatch and all those who aided this movement in any way," Miss Odell said.

Two Confess to Part in Kidnaping K. C. Woman

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 22.—(UP)—

Two men today confessed their participation in the plot to kidnap Mrs. Nell Quinlan Donnelly, best known as Kansas City's business woman.

Police promised the arrest of the leaders of the gang who held the millionaire garment maker captive for 36 hours on a small Kansas farm. The \$75,000 ransom they demanded was not paid.

Paul Scheidt, 29, Bonner Springs, Kan., and William Lacy Browning, 42, Holliday, Kan., both farmers, in a statement to police said they did not take part in the actual kidnaping, but that they knew of the plans.

It was on Scheidt's 20-acre farm near Bonner Springs that the woman and her Negro chauffeur, George Blair, were held, Browning said. Scheidt admitted this.

Browning said that he knew the leader of the gang for about four months. They worked together in a gravel pit near Holliday, Kan. He said

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 22.—(UP)—

Police today sought Marshall De Pew, a Kansas City steam shovel operator, as the man who arranged the sensational kidnaping of Mrs. Nell Donnelly, millionaire garment manufacturer.

De Pew was named by two Kansas farmers, William L. Browning, 42, of Holliday, and Paul Scheidt, 29, of Bonner Springs.

The man visited at his house several times.

"When 'Big Boy' (the name given by police to the leader of the gang) came to me he said he would arrange all the matters and that I would only have to find the house," Browning said. "I wanted the money to send my children through school."

Scheidt said he was expecting the men to bring the captives to his house and that he was to receive \$1,000 for its use.

Chicago, Dec. 22.—(UP)—An aroused citizenry is in far-flung rebellion against heavy tax burdens with the result, a United Press survey showed today, that the financial problem of many cities has become acute.

Meanwhile rural residents have successfully demanded reduced government expenses and have lightened their taxes in several districts.

The drive for reduced municipal expenditures is complicated by a desire in many cities to maintain salary expenditures to aid employment and business.

The situation is most critical, it was revealed, in several of the nation's largest cities, including Chicago and Philadelphia. In New York an unprecedented but unsuccessful attack by citizens and newspapers was made on the 1932 budget of \$631,000,000, largest in history.

The widely publicized condition in Chicago and Cook county have resulted largely from an organized taxpayers' strike and an attack through the courts on the legality of tax assessments.

Denver citizens have rebelled against reduction by the state board of equalization of farm land tax valuations of 20 per cent while cutting city property only 5 per cent. The state supreme court has upheld the board, but agitation continues.

Atlanta, unable to take up \$70,000 in temporary loans due this month, will pay no salaries or bills in December and has sharply cut its 1932 budget to meet the deficit.

Successful rural movements against high taxes have been conducted in Minnesota and Nebraska. Practically every city and town of Nebraska voluntarily reduced taxes. Farmers' unions and taxpayers' leagues have been successful in reducing county levies. Six counties favor a return to 1914 levels in county officials' pay. A similar movement in Minnesota has rescued many county levies through expenditures and salaries. Iowa citizens have protested unsuccessfully against delinquent tax sales.

Levies for county, township and school districts next year in Minnesota

Washington, Dec. 22.—(UP)—The Nye committee of the senate in a report filed today, charged that Bishop James Cannon, Jr., had violated the corrupt practices act during the 1928 presidential campaign but made no recommendations as to action to be taken.

The committee said it withheld recommendations because of criminal prosecution against Cannon now pending in the District of Columbia courts. Through 10 bank accounts of the bishop, the committee report traced \$133,000 raised by him to be used in

OPEN BIDS TODAY ON LARGEST MILEAGE OF PAVING IN HISTORY

MORE THAN 200 MILES REPRESENTED IN 14 PAVING PROJECTS IN STATE

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 22.—(UP)—Bids were opened today by C. M. Babcock, state highway commissioner, on the largest mileage of paving to be let at one time in the state's history.

A total of more than 200 miles was represented in 14 paving projects. Because of the great number of bids in which contractors offered prices on combinations on several jobs, no announcement of low bidders can be made until next week, it was announced.

The highway department offices will be closed from Thursday noon until Monday.

"Without being able to judge more than very cursorily after hearing the bids read," Babcock said, "I believe that we have received bids that will show a lower unit cost than at the first letting in November for 1932 paving work."

Nearly 300 representatives of contracting firms were present at the letting, completely filling the large assembly hall in the highway building. Bids were also received for construction of two bridges.

DISCOVER BODY OF MISSING OHIO GIRL IN MUSTY CELLAR

AUTOPSY SHOWS GIRL HAD BEEN BRUTALLY MISTREATED BY KIDNAPER

Cincinnati, O., Dec. 22.—(UP)—The body of Marian McLean, fair-haired 6-year-old, who was abducted, attacked and slain, was found today. The child lay, face up, in a musty cellar a block from the cottage where she and her mother four days ago were making exciting little plans for Christmas.

The child's torso had been mutilated. She had been choked.

"Marian was the victim of a mental defective, there can be no doubt of that," said Coroner M. Scott Kearns who sped to the scene with a squad of police cars sent to control a fury-driven throng milling through the neighborhood.

For four days, since her disappearance, "with a tall, dark stranger," late Thursday, officers pressed the search through the city and surrounding territory.

Then today Charles Bischoff went to his cellar to chop kindling wood. He lived on the second floor of the house.

Lying on boards, dimly revealed in the light of a candle Bischoff held, was Marian's body. Her tiny blue tam o'shanter had fallen aside from her tousled hair. Her eyes were swollen. The cheeks were stained with tears.

After a general hospital autopsy, it was announced that Marian died of bleeding and shock, the result of an assault.

County commissioners offered a reward of \$1,000 "for arrest and conviction of the person responsible for the abduction and murder of Marian McLean."

Other rewards totaling \$1,200 already had been offered.

Mrs. Mildred McLean, weakened and dazed by the days of uncertainty, lost herself in hysteria when the news reached her.

SENATE CHARGES CANNON WITH VIOLATIONS IN 1928 CAMPAIGN

efforts to defeat Alfred E. Smith for president in 1928. Out of the maze of financial transactions the committee developed the following charges:

1. That only \$58,558 of the \$133,000 was accounted for in reports filed with the clerk of the house under the corrupt practices act.
2. That none of the \$62,300 contributed by E. C. Jamieson, New York financier, prior to Jan. 1, 1929, was ever accounted for.
3. That the report filed with the house clerk "does not check with de-

COUNCIL ECONOMY MOVE AFFECTS PART OF CITY PERSONNEL

Council Acts to Save \$3,300 to Keep Within Low Budget; Firemen Hit; City Attorney Included in Wage Cut

Drastic measures were adopted by the city council last night in an effort to keep within its budget of the year, the most conspicuous being a resolution ordering a ten per cent wage slash for several city employees appointed by the council and one office, city attorney, elected by the people.

The wage cut will mean an approximate saving to the city of \$3,300 a year and will keep the public safety and general funds out of the red in the face of a low budget and unsatisfactory tax returns, Alderman V. F. Anderson, who proposed the action, explained.

The wage cut makes a division in the employees affected. It will go in effect January 1.

Those who will come under the wage slash move are the following: their monthly salaries to be reduced 10 per cent from salaries quoted here, which are in effect at the present time: City attorney, \$125; city engineer, \$208.33; fire chief, \$135; two fire truck drivers, \$120; chief of police, \$135; patrolmen, each, \$120; captain of police, \$125; health officer, \$50; dairy inspector, \$100; janitor and sanitary police, \$110; street commissioner, \$115.

Appointive and elective offices which will not be effected by the order to reduce wages are the following: their monthly salaries listed: municipal judge, \$83.33; city clerk, \$135; city treasurer, \$40; stenographer, \$75; health nurse, \$70; dump tender, \$33.33.

Further, two truck men in the employ of the city engineer's department were placed on five days a week in place of six although their wage scale of 50 cents an hour will remain the same.

The resolution to reduce wages 10 per cent was adopted on motion of Alderman George A. Erickson and V. F. Anderson.

Cooperation Urged
Anderson stressed the belief that in the spirit of cooperation to the city the officers will accept the cut voluntarily.

Anderson presented the balance sheet of city finances, showing that at the start of December the public safety fund had a balance of \$2,798.54, the poor fund a balance of \$1,701.57 and the general fund a balance of \$6,123.61.

Salaries this month are not included in these figures and will cut down the public safety fund. The general fund, established for the purpose of aiding these funds, will be severely taxed before the next tax settlement next spring unless the wage move is enforced, the chairman of the finance committee said.

Reduces Fire Truck Drivers

The wage cut order reduces the number of fire truck drivers from three to two and places Fire Chief Frank W. Fuller in the capacity as chief and truck driver. It also eliminates the gasoline expense account of the fire chief, estimated at \$15 a month.

The vacancy ordered by the council in the case of one truck driver was referred to the civil service commission who have authority in the matter, although this authority was seriously questioned by members of the council.

Question Civil Service Status

On motion of Alderman R. H. Paine and George A. Erickson, City Attorney Swanson was instructed to write the attorney general's office to learn the legal status of the civil service commission ordinance.

Alderman V. E. Quansstrom was of the opinion that the council had jurisdiction over the civil service commission and could remove the commission if the council so desired.

Swanson said the civil service ordinance was passed pursuant to two state laws with reference to police and firemen and that in at least one of the statutes, that pertaining to firemen, the question of the repeal of

the ordinance would have to be submitted to the people after a petition had been presented bearing 25 per cent of the legal voters at the last regular election.

City Attorney Swanson quoted the city charter to inform the aldermen that legally no elective officer of the city was obliged to accept a cut in wages, assuming that previous acts under the charter had been done legally before he took office.

"I wish to read to you parts of the charter if you care to hear it. Do you want me to read it?" he said.

The aldermen assented.

Swanson then proceeded to read Chapters 9 and 17 of the city charter which in effect stated that the salaries of the elective officers shall be fixed on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in May following the regular city election; that the salaries of the appointive officers shall be fixed at the time of their appointment. If the salaries are not fixed at these times, Swanson said, then the salaries shall remain as provided by the last resolution of the city council.

The salaries were not fixed following the last city election so it would depend upon the last resolution of the city council, Swanson said.

"As far as the appointive officers are concerned they are appointed for one year and should the council decide that an appointive officer is not necessary for the balance of the year or for a shorter period, if need be, the officer or employee can be removed. In the event of re-employment by the city council then the council can fix the salary that is less than the amount being received as the salary before discharge," Swanson said.

The city attorney also said that any employee could accept a voluntary wage cut if he so desired.

Swanson Takes Stand

The city attorney said that he may be willing to accept the cut because of the general cut of wages all over the country but not because of any action taken by the city council.

"The city council did not appoint me. I was elected by the choice of the people and if I think it is their wish I will accept it," Swanson said. In a statement today Swanson stated that he is more than willing to accept the voluntary reduction of his salary for the sake of economy but he believes that the reduction should apply to all appointive and elective offices.

Neither Fire Chief Frank W. Fuller or City Engineer R. T. Campbell, who are affected by the wage cut order, had any comments to make at the meeting concerning the action.

Cut Sald Temporary

The council as a body voted in favor of the reduction and in a rise of expression the members agreed that it was a temporary move in a time of distress.

The salaries of city employees have been in effect since 1922 without perceptible change.

Firemen to Consider Action

It was learned today that C. K. McDonald, president of the Brainerd Volunteer Fire department, will call a special meeting tonight to consider the action of the city council relative to the fire department.

Chief Fuller stated today that he was recommended by the fire department to the city council at a salary of \$150. The salary of \$135 was fixed by the council.

"The cut in wages and the elimination of one fire truck driver will not be to the best interests of the fire department," Fuller said.

"Paid firemen and volunteer firemen average in wages \$673 a month. Out of the \$3,300 saving, \$1,340 a year will come out of the fire department which is too great a burden on one department," the chief continued.

May Hit Insurance Rates

"The removal of one truck driver from the department may not meet the approval of the general inspection bureau and the National Fire Underwriters and may result in the increase of insurance rates to the city," Fuller said.

The Civil Service commission will rule upon the driver to be vacated if the action of the council stands, Fuller said.

Fuller's Duties Changed
The placing of Fuller as chief and truck driver will practically eliminate his duties in inspection and investigation, the chief stated.

"Under the new order I will be on duty at the fire station from 8 a. m. to 4 p. m. and on relief duty at the engine house from 12 a. m. to 8 a. m. and on fire call at any time. This will leave me practically no spare time to devote to inspection work," Fuller said.

BRAINERD NEWS BRIEFS

Edited by Mary Hawkins. Please Phone 74

Devere Beckley, who was operated on for appendicitis last week, is recovering nicely. He is still in the hospital.

Dave Templeton left Sunday for the Christmas holidays with friends southern part of the state to spend and relatives.

Kippy Kip brushes at H. P. Dunn's Druggist.

Mrs. W. E. Lively and Mrs. M. Washburn of Minneapolis were weekend visitors of friends and relatives in Brainerd.

Robert Landbohm, Howard Ellingson, Hazen Crosby, Ed Ripley, and Page Nicholson, all of Crosby-Branton, visited with friends in Brainerd Monday night.

Dance Christmas Night. Carroll Carpenter and His Band. U. C. T. Hall, 17112.

John Lowey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lowey, arrived in Brainerd this noon from Hoboken, N. J., to visit during the holidays in Brainerd. He is a student at Stevens Institute.

Beautiful line of Reed-Craft ladies hand bags at H. P. Dunn's, Druggist.

Miss Ruby Lively, who is studying at the Methodist Theological School in Minneapolis, is a guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Lively, 609 S. 7th street. She expects to return to Minneapolis next Saturday.

Barber shops open Wednesday night until 9 o'clock, closed Thursday night at 6 o'clock. 17013.

Robert Hanson is expected home tomorrow from Coleraine where he is employed.

Horace Humphrey of Crosby was in the city on business yesterday.

William Reber, Crookston, returned home today after three weeks' visit at the George Ridley home.

Miss Rosely Ryan of Minneapolis, niece of Mrs. Ernest Butler, is visiting in Brainerd for a few days.

Dad will appreciate a battery for Christmas that will start his car in coldest weather. Gamble's multi-plate spins the motor faster—25 per cent more power. Ford, Chev., \$6.75 each. 17112.

Mrs. Ed Wolfert of 420 S. Broadway will leave tomorrow morning for Fort William, Ontario, to visit over Christmas with her daughter.

NOTICE B. A. Y.—On account of the shops pay day falling on Dec. 24th, I will not collect Xmas eve, but will be at Skauge's Drug Store Dec. 30th instead. The Brotherhood of American Yeoman. E. I. Soliday, Secretary. 17112.

Miss Frances Taylor will leave tomorrow for Mankato to spend Christmas with her brother.

Mrs. A. Gatchell was numbered among Brainerd Christmas shoppers from Pillager today.

Don't forget Eagles dance tonight at the Moose Hall. Admission 25c per couple. 17112.

Erma Emrick came to Brainerd yesterday from Backus to shop and visit.

Merlin Ziegler of Hecla, S. D. is visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. M. Kerkley, South Fifth street.

EAGLE STORE

Black Walnut CANDY..... 5 lbs. \$1.00

Jumbo PEANUTS..... 2 lbs. 25c

Fresh Roasted No. 1 PEANUTS..... 2 lbs. 18c

New York Apple Cider
Very Good

FILBERTS..... 2 lbs. 45c

Fancy Hubbard SQUASH..... lb. 3c

Fancy Dill PICKLES..... 2 dozen 25c

I. G. A. Gingerale 2 12-oz. btl 25c

Honey Boy POP CORN..... 3 for 10c

With PRIZE Fruits of All Kinds

SUGAR 10-lb cloth bag 50c

Eventually

GOLD MEDAL FLOUR

Why Not Order a Sack?

32 CENTS A POUND PAID HERE FIRST GRADE BUTTERFAT

FARMERS COOPERATIVE CREAMERY SHOWS FINE GAIN IN REPORT

The board of directors of the Farmers' Co-operative Creamery association, at their recent annual meeting, voted to 32 cents a pound for first grade butterfat, and 29 cents for second grade butterfat received during the month of November.

The following statistics were presented to the meeting:

Pounds of cream received, Nov., 1931, 94,295; pounds of cream received, Nov., 1930, 85,239.

Pounds of butterfat received Nov., 1931: first grade, 25,553.4; second grade, 552.9.

Pounds of butterfat received Nov., 1930: first grade, 22,245.7; second grade, 943.2.

Pounds of butter made, 32,223.

Percentage Land O' Lakes butter shipped, 94.1; percentage of 92 score butter shipped, 5.9.

Number of patrons in November, 1931, 247.

Although at this time of year the cream checks are noticeably smaller than in the spring and summer, there were some good-sized checks issued for November cream. Seven out of the 247 patrons had a gross amount of \$100 or over, one of which was as high as \$165.

Mrs. Peter Yde was in the city shopping from Pillager yesterday.

Kodaks make appropriate Christmas Gifts. Fine selection at H. P. Dunn's Druggist. 17112.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Cater, P. H. McGarry and Wm. McGarry made a business trip to Brainerd Monday.

Mrs. M. J. Lindén, Walker, made a trip to Brainerd yesterday where she visited and shopped.

Miss Gertrude Wideman was a Brainerd shopper from Backus yesterday.

E. J. Coughlin shopped in Brainerd from Janesville, Minn., Monday.

Mrs. Fred Westerman, Lansing, Mich. arrived this afternoon to attend the funeral services of her aunt, Mrs. Geo. W. Ames.

Permanent Waving is Our Specialty! Prices from \$3.50 to \$7.50 Shampoo and Finger Wave 75c Arnold Treatments, Powder Blending for Your Individual Complexion. Laura Lee Beauty Shop phone 400-W 423 South Sixth St.

Miss Alice Regina Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Johnson, 708 Pine street, arrived in Brainerd from Chicago where she is a member of the faculty of the American Conservatory of Music. Her parents drove to Minneapolis Sunday to meet her.

Mrs. Ames' Funeral at Home Here Wednesday

Funeral services for Mrs. Geo. W. Ames, who died Monday, will be conducted at the family residence, 209 North 5th street, at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday. Rev. N. P. Olmsted will officiate. Interment will be at Evergreen cemetery.

The pall bearers will be: C. E. Parker, G. W. Chadbourn, R. J. Hartley, F. B. Johnson, H. E. Scott, Floyd Seeger.

Iowa Man Admits Paying Ransom for Release

Burlington, Iowa, Dec. 22.—(U.P.)—The Burlington Hawkeye today succeeded in obtaining from Fred G. Webster a statement that he was kidnapped and held until his wife procured ransom. However, no report was made to police.

Webster did not say how much money was paid for his release but frankly stated that it was "all we had." Webster, a former cigar store proprietor here, said he was returned by the kidnapers after being held for more than a day at some Illinois place where he was kept prisoner chained to a bed.

Prof. George Grant MacCurdy, of Yale University, who recently discovered seven rock crystal tools in a cave in France, is of the opinion that men of the Old Stone Age used these tools in the place of metal instruments.

ROTH GIVES CREDIT TO COOPERATORS IN COUNTY FIELD WORK

MANY WORK FOR INTERESTS OF ORGANIZATION WITHOUT THOUGHT OF PAY

Christmas being a time of giving and of thanking the givers, County Agent E. G. Roth said today some recognition is in order for those who give generously all the year around. Particularly he refers to folks like the county and township home chairmen, 4H club leaders, extension committee members and Farm Bureau officers, who sacrifice much time and sleep doing their bit for agriculture without financial recompense in any form.

Not one of these cooperators, any more than those who take lesser parts in extension or farm bureau work, received even so much as the promise of pay. Yet they remain on the job throughout the year, giving of their best thought and efforts and sacrificing many pleasures, Roth said.

While it would be unfair to single out a few for special notice all are deserving of much credit. So during this Christmas season, Roth suggests that every farm man and woman, boy and girl, at least think a hearty word of thanks for agriculture's unselfish leaders, including their own neighbors and friends.

Palace Theatre

25c Till Closing

Starts Today

"Men in Her Life"

with

Lois Moran and Charles Bickford

Travelaugh — — — — — Crazy Kat Cartoon

—Also—

A Shocking Affair

—TOMORROW—

is Gift Night!

We are giving away at 9 P. M. 5 Gifts. The Gifts and their Dealers are listed below:

Helbros Wrist Watch - - - - E. J. Sedlock
Eveready Electric Candle - Brainerd Electric Co.
Levin Bros. Foostool - - - Patek Furniture Co.
Ladies' Toilet Set - - - H. P. Dunn, Druggist
Tubular Shoe Skates - - - Gruenhagen Co.

... Specials ...

for Christmas and the Week-end
Thursday — Friday — Saturday — Sunday

Ice Cream for Xmas

---Yuletide Special---

Pints 17c—Quarts 33c

A Most Pleasant Combination of Lemon, Pineapple and Vanilla Ice Cream Filled With Red Pineapple Cubes.

Note: This Special Price Permits No Delivery. If Delivery is Made We Must Charge Regular Price.

Your Choice of Five Other Ice Creams and Three Sherbets
50c Per Quart

Chocolate Covered Peanut Clusters Fresh Home Made Milk Chocolate Lb. 29c

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Arthur Thon, Northeast Brainerd merchant and a resident of Northeast 35 years, is the third ward's new alderman.

Thon was appointed to succeed the late Christ H. Elvig by council action last night.

His name was proposed by V. F. Anderson, the third ward's other alderman.

The city council in accepting the nomination of Thon voted on Anderson's recommendation, V. E. Quistrom, president of the council stating that it was customary to accept the recommendation of the remaining aldermen in the ward where a vacancy occurred.

The name of L. W. Tyrell was submitted for the post in a petition signed by 165 residents of Northeast.

In the informal ballot Thon received six votes, two votes were blank and one was cast for John Hughes.

The formal ballot recorded all nine votes for Thon.

Thon will sit as alderman by appointment until the next city election which takes place in the spring of 1933.

THREE DIE WHEN BUS, TRUCK BURST INTO FLAMES AFTER CRASH

DRIVER OF TRUCK WHICH COLLIDED WITH BUS BURNED BEYOND RECOGNITION

Hiawatha, Kansas, Dec. 22.—(UP)—Three persons were killed and 17 others injured, none believed dangerously, when a large bus of the Interstate Transit lines collided head-on with a stock truck near here early today.

Both machines burst into flames after the crash, which was said to have occurred when the driver of the truck lost control of his vehicle, and it angled across the road, striking the bus.

The dead were William Irwin, of Omaha, driver of the bus, Ralph Anderson, Nebraska City, Neb., who was driving the truck for the Watson Bros. truck lines of that city, and a passenger tentatively identified as G. L. McIntyre of Lincoln, Neb.

Oliver Named Probate Judge Cass County

Walker—Word was received by A. B. Oliver that he had been appointed Judge of Probate of Cass county. He took over his new duties Monday.

Bandits Beat Cashier, Rob Bank of \$6,000

Wautoma, Wis., Dec. 22.—(UP)—A. H. Schultz, cashier of the Wautoma State Bank, was beaten unconscious by bandits today and robbed of \$6,000. The bandits apparently had hidden in the bank building all night. Their number was undetermined.

Mrs. Pinchot Announces Candidacy for Congress

Harrisburg, Pa., Dec. 22.—(UP)—Mrs. Cornelia Bryce Pinchot, wife of the governor of Pennsylvania, today announced she would be a candidate for congress from the 15th congressional district, opposing Rep. Louis McFadden, republican incumbent, who recently opposed President Hoover's debt moratorium program in congress.

Right Wing of Vatican Library Collapses

Vatican City, Dec. 22.—(UP)—The entire right wing of the Vatican library collapsed today.

Daggett Brook Yule Play Sunday Night

North Prairie — The Daggett Brook ladies' aid met with Mrs. P. H. Peterson Thursday, Dec. 10. The next meeting will be with Mrs. D. Wickman.

The Daggett Brook Union Sunday school had a meeting at the Ole Anderson home Monday evening. They will give a Christmas program at the church Sunday evening, Dec. 20.

Miss Anna Swanson of Pillager is a guest at the James Grieson home.

There will be a program given at the school in district No. 34 on Friday afternoon, Dec. 18, after which school will close for a two week's vacation.

Misses Alta Storm and Esther Gallagher were guests at the Robert Harris home Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. James Grieson and their guest, Miss Anna Swanson, were entertained at the Walter Peterson home Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Olson and children visited at Amos Babcock's Sunday.

George Darling is a patient at St. Joseph's hospital.

There was a large attendance at the card party at the Steve Toigas home Sunday evening.

About 75 per cent of the talkies exhibited in Portugal are of American origin.

SOCIETY

Edited by Mary Hawkins. Please Phone 74

Telephone Employees Enjoy Christmas Party

The employees of the Northwestern Bell Telephone company of Brainerd enjoyed a Christmas party at the home of the manager, H. D. Hoffman, 216 N. 5th street, Monday night.

Christmas decorations adorned the home. A large, beautifully trimmed tree was loaded with gifts which were exchanged by those present. Games were played and at the close of the evening, Mrs. Hoffmann served a delicious luncheon.

The following were present: Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Boeder, Mr. and Mrs. MacDonnell and son, James, Julius Vikon, Henry Vikon, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Hoffmann, Raymond and Bobby Hoffmann, E. R. Sargent, Misses Mary Sargent, Carol Hoffman, Mabel Shefro, Cleo Mayo, Cecil Kampmann, Anna Ludwig, Mabel Albers, Genevieve Schelborn, Evelyn Adams, Viola Holtkamp, Marian Liners, Beatrice Liners, Cecelia Sauvageau, Eleanor Krause, Grace Hogan, Mrs. Imogene Dahl, Mrs. Ed Elling.

Zion Evangelical Choir Holds Party Sunday

In the church parlors, which were decorated in the seasonal colors of red and green, the members of the Zion Evangelical Lutheran choir held a Christmas party Sunday afternoon.

Those present enjoyed playing games

Social Calendar

Wednesday, December 23
Confirmation class, Norwegian-Danish Lutheran, 10 a. m.
Rehearsal for Christmas program, Bethlehem Lutheran, 2 p. m.
Thursday, December 24
Priscilla club.
Pythian Sisters.
Salvation Army Home League.
Foresters, Catholic, 8 p. m.

and at the close a delicious luncheon was served.

Identify Gangsters as Baby Killers

New York, Dec. 22.—(UP)—Vincent Coll and Frank Giordano, gangsters, were identified positively as the machine gunners who fired into a group of children killing Michael Vengali, 5, by George Brecht, 19 West 32nd street, an eye witness, at their trial for murder today.

Brecht came down from the witness stand, stared at the two men and said: "These are the men."

1,600 BOYS, GIRLS MADE HAPPY HERE AT THEATRE PARTY

CHRISTMAS JOY SPREAD BY ELKS AND PARAMOUNT; CANDY AND APPLES FOR ALL

The free show for kiddies at the Paramount theatre this morning was greeted by 1600 boys and girls with enthusiasm.

It was the twelfth year in succession that the Brainerd Lodge of Elks co-operated with a local theatre in sponsoring the party.

A bag of candy and an apple was given each youngster present by 12 members of the Elks who attended to in taking care of the children.

The screen attractions were provided by the Paramount theatre.

Six Brainerd firemen also assisted in caring for the children.

Henry Roberts was the jovial Santa Claus and Rev. C. M. Brandon brought the Christmas message to the children in a brief talk.

Harry Greenberg, theatre manager announced today that at next year's Christmas party tickets will be given the children in advance and two shows will be given to provide a chance for everyone to attend.

Dad Made Sure

Rich Lover (elooping with his adored): How much is the fare?

Taxi Driver: That's all right, sir.

The young lady's father settled all that.—Die Woche Bild, Oltien.

Pardons 108 Prisoners as Christmas Gifts

Jackson, Miss., Dec. 22.—(UP)—Governor Theo Bilbo today issued Christmas pardons to 108 convicts. Thirty-six of them had been convicted of murder or manslaughter and two of kidnapping. Others among the freed were serving terms for offenses ranging from petit larceny to attempted murder.

Superior Scrubwoman Continues Downstream

Louisiana, Mo., Dec. 22.—(UP)—Mrs. Randi Lerohl, the Superior, Wis., scrub woman on a projected rowboat trip to the mouth of the Mississippi river, was expected here today.

A heavy blanket of fog lifted at 9 a. m. It was believed Mrs. Lerohl had put in at some sheltered inlet for the night. She left Hannibal, Mo., at 8 a. m. yesterday.

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A BRIGHT SPOT IN BUSINESS--

A bright spot in Brainerd business was recorded yesterday with the announcement that the Brainerd foundry had secured contracts insuring employment of the regular staff of employees for the next two years.

Renewal of the contracts with the Northern Pacific Railway company and the Backus Brooks interests for furnishing all brass requirements for the operation of the railway from St. Paul to Spokane and for the needs of the Brooks interests speaks well for the work of the foundry. It also tends to show the interest manifest in the future of Brainerd by both the Northern Pacific railroad and the Backus Brooks interests.

For the latter organization, the foundry will furnish brass and iron castings for the Ft. Francis Pulp and Paper company, the Minnesota-Ontario Paper company, the M. D. and W. Railway company, the International Railway company and the Backus Brooks company.

Renewal of the contracts with the Brainerd foundry is particularly significant of the firms' interest in Brainerd in view of the fact that no consideration was given any other bids.

The Daily Dispatch believes in the future of the small industry and in strengthening its stand it calls attention to the possibilities of such enterprises pointing out the excellent and conscientious business activities of the Brainerd foundry as an example. In securing the renewal of the two contracts, the Brainerd foundry strikingly demonstrates the value and necessity of such industries to Brainerd.

THE TRUCKS MUST PAY--

Jurisdiction of a state empowering it to levy special and other taxes upon commercial vehicles regularly using public highways for long distant hauling has apparently come about through a ruling by the United States circuit court.

Whether such vehicles are engaged in interstate commerce or if they are plying the roads with goods produced by their owners they are still subject to whatever taxes a state might levy. Not being common carriers does not exempt them. The only restriction the decision puts on the state is that any taxes of this nature levied upon the trucks is reasonable.

This means, The Daily Dispatch interprets, that states may force owners of such vehicles to pay full cost of the extra wear and tear which their weight, combined with their speed and the frequency of their trips, puts upon the highways.

The decision was the result of a test case brought in Kansas to determine the right to enforce such a levy. That the Kansas law exempts from this truck tax vehicles owned by farmers to transport the products of their lands was one point raised by commercial truck owners in support of their plea for an injunction prohibiting collection of the tax. They declared it was discriminatory and unfair. They also raised the question of possible interference with interstate commerce and the question of the state's right to regular operation of vehicles not employed as common carriers.

The court's decision swept aside all these contentions. It ruled:

The highways are being pounded to pieces by these great trucks which, combining weight with speed, are making the problem of maintenance well nigh impossible. . . . Moreover, these powerful and speedy trucks are the menace of the highways. That those who use the highways, as the plaintiffs use the highways, are subject to regulation by the state to insure the safety of others on the highways, admits of no dispute.

A NEW NAME FOR FINLAND--

Word of explanation is in order in connection with the changing of the name of Finland to Suomi. Finland was a Swedish name imposed during the 12th century when Suomenmaa, the "land of the marshes," was conquered by the fair-haired soldiers of the kingdom to the west, according to the St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Up to that time the Finns had been independent of outside control, pagan and most aggressive. Under the Swedish rule, they were forced to listen to the Christian preachings of the Bishop of Upsala, and, through the centuries that followed, time and again their territory served as the battle-ground of the Swedes and the soldiers of the Russian czars. Subservience to Sweden ended only with the transfer of control to Russia in 1809, which proved little more to the liking of the Suomalainen, as the Finns call themselves.

Three decades of intensive Russification set the stage for separation at the time of the Russian revolution. It was to have been expected that, owing to the repressions of the centuries, its peoples, once independent would be strong nationalists.

The wonder is that a conqueror-imposed name should have lasted so long.

AUTO EPIDEMIC--

It is a serious accusation against the governmental authorities and automotive leaders when a noted surgeon, who ordinarily is rather conservative and guarded in his remarks, makes the significant statement that traffic accidents have risen to what may be regarded as a virtual epidemic. That, in just so many direct words, is the charge made recently by Dr. John J. Moorhead, professor of traumatic surgery at Columbia University College of Physicians and Surgeons.

Dr. Moorhead is no sensationalist. No one of his professional standing and experience would be. Yet the only way he can impress the powers that be with the seriousness of this situation is by crying "epidemic."

Whether it is really an epidemic or not, Dr. Moorhead is right in pointing out that, in the face of increasing injuries from traffic accidents, the hospitals of the country are inadequately equipped to care for them properly. This lack of preparedness he ascribes not so much to a disinterestedness on the part of hospital officials, although there is much to be improved here, but to the almost negligible aid from the state and national authorities.

"In my opinion," says Dr. Moorhead, offering a solution, "the time is coming when legislatures will appropriate part of the weight and gas tax incomes to the direct improvement of facilities for the care of traffic accident cases."

Here is a thought for our law-makers who are considering further ways of gathering revenue from the motorists. Knowledge that at least part of his taxes went toward prevention of this "epidemic" of traffic accidents might help soothe the motorist in the paying of them.

THREE KINDS of LOVE

BY KAY CLEAVER STRAHAN



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BEGIN HERE TODAY

ANNE, CECILY and MARY-FRANCES FENWICK live with their grandparents, once wealthy, now so impoverished that Anne's and Cecily's earnings support the household. The sisters have been orphaned since childhood. The grandparents are known respectively as "ROSALIE" and "GRAND" and they insist on keeping up pretenses of their former wealth.

Anne, 28, and Cecily, 22, do secretarial work and Mary-Frances, 15, is still in school. When the story opens Anne has been engaged to PHILIP ECKROYD, young lawyer, for eight years.

Cecily brings BARRY MCKEEL home to dinner. It is evident that she is falling in love with him. Mary-Frances has a telephone call from her friend, ERMINTRUDE, who is excited about the arrival of an actor known as EARL DE ARMOUSET. The two girls make plans to meet him. Phil comes to see Anne. He is late and rather irritable.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY CHAPTER VIII

BARRY objected, "But, Ecroyd, such prejudice leaves me defenseless. I don't and can't admit . . ."

Phil stood. Barry should not have called him prejudiced. It was a word that Phil always had particularly disliked.

"On the contrary," Phil said, "I pride myself that no man living has a more open mind than I have: open, that is, to the decencies. I've enjoyed talking to you, Mr. McKeel. Hope we can get at it again sometime. I'll have to be going now. Good night. Good night."

Cecily and Barry said "Good night." Grand and Rosalie were both asleep. Anne went with Philip into the hall.

"Cissy," he said, as he reached for his raincoat, "has fallen hard for the flaming youth, hasn't she?"

"I don't know," Ann fibbed.

"I know," Phil said, and pulled his coat down in the back. "It's a case, sure enough, this time. You know what will happen, don't you?"

"Happen?" Ann questioned.

"She'll marry him the day he asks her. She'll let you down. You'll see. She'll marry him, and you will be left holding the sack and supporting the family."

Anne thought, "But I can't. I can hold the sack, but I can't support the family on my \$25 a week. No one could. We'll freeze and starve," and said nothing.

"She'll let you down," Phil repeated, and stamped into one overshoe. "You'll hold the sack," he repeated, and stamped into the other overshoe.

Anne flared. "You've no right to say that, Phil. Cissy will not. Cissy never has let me nor anyone down. You've no right."

Phil, hat in hand, was making for the door. Anne tagged after him and went on: "Suppose she does fall in love. Suppose she does get engaged to that nice boy. Isn't that her affair? You and I have been engaged for eight years."

"Yes, I know that. I don't need to be told," said Phil on the porch to Anne in the doorway. "But Cissy isn't like you. Her man will come first with her."

"You come first with me," said Anne.

"Oh, no, I don't. Cecily, and Mary-Frances, and Grand and Rosalie (need he make each name a



"Ann, angel," Cecily said, "dinner was grand. Thank you a million times."

snore?) "come first with you, Anne, and always have."

"No," she began, "that isn't true. It isn't my fault--" Phil had turned and was going. Phil had gone! Gone? Right off like that, without kissing her good night? Phil had gone! If he had purposely omitted the kiss it wouldn't matter so much. But she feared, she seriously feared, that he had simply walked away and forgotten all about it.

BARRY, driving and intent on the polished black pavements ahead, did not see Philip standing back from the corner, pulling at his pipe and waiting for the street car. But Philip saw him and felt a small satisfaction because Barry, too, had left the Fenwick's house early.

"Suppose," Philip went on thinking, as he watched the small red light dim into the darkness, "that I'd hailed him, and caddled a ride home, and said to him on the way, 'Don't fall in love with Cecily Fenwick. Don't ever go there again. You can stop now. Later you will be unable to stop. There's no use in falling in love with a Fenwick girl. You start out brave and gay and find yourself on a treadmill. You never arrive anywhere. Stop

short tonight and forget it. I wish someone had warned me--eight years ago.' Fat lot of thanks McKeel would give me--now. Pity, though. He is young--some fool ideas, of course--but on the whole, intelligent. He had known the Bronte quotation: 'I have seen the sea and York Cathedral.' Stop short tonight and forget it. Well--why not? What was the epigram? 'If advice is good, why give it away? Ah, the bunk! But--why not? Rot! Stop short and forget it.'

He knocked his pipe out against a tree in the parking, and stepped forward to hail the coming street car.

CECILY tapped on Ann's door and opened it. Anne was standing in front of her bureau, her fingers flying about through the dark curling coils of her hair (it was a nuisance, and heavy, and hard to find hats for, but Phil insisted that she should not cut it), pulling out the hairpins.

"Ann, angel," Cecily said, "dinner was grand. Thank you a million times."

Anne did not turn. "Yes," she said. "I thought it seemed very good--all but the chowder."

"Everything was good," said Cecily.

cily, and came in and closed the door. She had to talk. "You liked him, didn't you, Ann? Did the conversation, and the evening, and--so on, seem all right to you? Wasn't it slick that Grand and Rosalie both went to sleep?"

Anne's fingers kept on hunting hairpins. "Yes, I liked him. I thought things seemed all right. What made him leave so early?"

"He is sort of shy. Phil's leaving and all . . . I'd so much rather have him stay than--than not. You really did like him, didn't you, Ann? He is good-looking, don't you think?"

"Of course," said Anne. "You like him a lot, don't you, Cissy?"

Cecily nodded. "Um-hum. I seem to."

"And he likes you a lot?"

"Ann, I don't know. I don't know at all. Sometimes I think he does, and then I think he doesn't. He was queer when we first came in this evening--that may have been my fault. But later he was lovely, and just now in the hall he held on to both my hands and kept holding them while he thanked me for having him here. Still, he didn't say a word about ever seeing me again, or telephoning, or--anything."

Anne experimented with a smile in the mirror. "For that matter, Phil didn't say anything about seeing me again, either."

"Ann," Cecily's voice was tense, "how can you bear it? The happiness of the certainty, I mean. To love Phil, as you do, and to know positively that he loves you, and that you'll see him tomorrow and the next day--all that. It seems to me . . . I couldn't endure being so happy."

Anne was on her way to the clothes closet. She stopped for an instant to rumple the shining brown of Cecily's boyish bob, but she did not answer her question until she was inside the closet.

"It grows on one," she said from there, "that ability to endure happiness."

BECAUSE of Ermintrude's insistence that it would look perfectly awful to get downtown early today--of all days--Mary-Frances this afternoon had consented to route their daily walk from the McKinley High School through the business district of the suburb and home again, to include a long detour into Rosymead, a new and modestly attractive residential district.

Before long Rosymead's babies would wake from their afternoon naps, and Rosymead's tranquility would submit to delivery trucks rushing through their final errands for the day; to whistling, shouting boys thudding evening papers from bicycles to porches; to home-coming automobiles, whizzing sprinklers, and whirling lawnmowers; but as yet the streets were still, and the small lawns lay untroubled and open to the sun.

But for Mary-Frances Fenwick and Ermintrude Hill there was neither calm nor peace nor patience nor tranquility nor quiet anywhere. "The trouble with you, Ermintrude," continued Mary-Frances, "is that you are like my sisters, you just don't understand that love is all."

(To Be Continued)

BRAINERD

25 Years Ago

December 22, 1906

Dr. Fredericks returned last night last night from a trip to Rochester, Minn.

Giles O'Brien came up from Minneapolis to spend Christmas at home.

Miss Ruth Parker came up from St. Cloud to spend Christmas at home.

Miss Holz of Bemidji was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hitch between trains today.

Everett Doran and Jack Boyle have gone to Sterling, Ill., to start a moving picture show.

Frank Nelson of Walker and Fred Sanborn of this city returned last night from St. Paul where they have been attending college.

Misses Amy Lowey and Blanquita Firth and Frank Lowey came up from Minneapolis today to spend the holidays at the home of John Lowey.

There had been forty-six holiday excursion tickets sold over the N. P. at this station up to two o'clock this afternoon, and a much larger number of one way tickets, nor were they included in the report of business in yesterday's Dispatch. The N. P. ticket sales yesterday were \$380 and will run close to \$500 today.

Invitations are out for the annual ball of the International Association of Machinists, to be held Dec. 31 at Gardner's hall. The following are in charge of the affair: W. E. Entrioken, E. F. Evenson, F. C. Larson, T. E. Jones, J. W. Smith, J. A. McKay, Cory French, F. E. Eckholm, A. Corckery, Jacob Strickler, Jr., Floyd Seger, Albert Hoppe, W. S. McCarthy, J. T. Farmery, F. B. Small, Walter Frampston, J. J. Corkery, James McPherson, J. J. Boyle, Joseph Midgley, Axel Anderson, F. C. Larsson, E. G. Johnson, J. A. McKay, G. I. Bouk, G. A. Johnson, Kenneth McDonald, W. F. Dieckhaus, W. R. Heron and Robert Fox.

France, Too, Builds a Mystery Plane

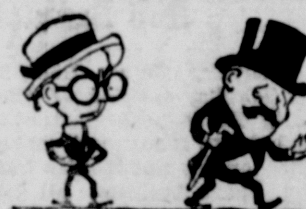
Paris--Since all the other nations of Europe are either building or planning mystery planes to fly the stratosphere at terrific rates of speed, France, too, it has been discovered, is building such a craft.

Meager details available describe the craft as being stream lined to the last degree, and to have an enclosed, air-tight metal tank, supplied with oxygen from reservoirs, where the pilot and mechanic will sit. It is said the plane will reach a speed of more than 500 miles an hour when 15 miles in the air.

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Christmas Candle Salad

Leaf lettuce or curly endive, 4 slices canned pineapple, 2 long bananas, 1

Tomorrow's Menu

BREAKFAST: Tangerines, crisp bacon, soft cooked eggs, whole wheat muffins, milk, coffee.
LUNCHEON: Baked carrot cups stuffed with chopped meat and rice, cress with French dressing, apple sauce cake, milk, tea.
DINNER: Spareribs and sauerkraut, mashed potatoes, chopped olives and celery in tomato jelly, baked apple dumplings, milk, coffee.

green pepper, 2 Brazil nuts, fruit salad dressing.

Choose lettuce that is a vivid green and cut in ribbons. Arrange nests on individual plates and put a slice of pineapple in each nest. Peel and scrape bananas and let stand in lemon juice two or three minutes. Cut in halves crosswise and put the cut end in the center of the slice of pineapple, making the banana stand upright. Trim banana to fit pineapple. Cut Brazil nuts in halves lengthwise and put a half in the top of each banana. Cut green pepper in narrow strips and use to make handle of candle.

Force one end into banana close to pineapple and slip other end in about an inch above. A narrow strip of orange rind can be used for the handle in place of green pepper. Just be-

fore serving the salads light the nuts and take them to the table burning. Pass salad dressing for each person to help himself.

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Christmas Salad

Four slices stuffed orange, eight heart leaves of head lettuce, whipped cream salad dressing, 4 green cherries. Arrange two leaves of lettuce for each salad and put a slice of orange in the center. Drop one tablespoon salad dressing on each slice of fruit and top with a cherry. Green grapes can be used in place of the cherries if more convenient. You can buy the preserved oranges at any fancy grocery.

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HOSPITAL; TRAPPED BY
FROZEN EARTH**

Lyle Reed Fleener, 5 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Fleener, 402 Second avenue, N. E., was under treatment today at the St. Joseph's hospital and reported recovering from injuries, exposure and fright following a cavein of dirt.

The child was caught in a cavein of one of the walls in the basement excavation for a new house at 505 Fourth avenue, N. E. Monday afternoon. A playmate, frightened, ran from the excavation when Lyle was trapped.

Lyle was released after an hours imprisonment between a heavy chunk of frozen earth and the ground. Ernest Crust, 509 Fourth avenue, heard the child crying, investigated and rescued him.

The fall of frozen earth did not cause any bone fractures, the child's doctor reported after an examination.

FRISCO WELCOMES EAST-WEST GRID BATTLE PLAYERS

**FORTY-FOUR OF NATION'S LEAD-
ING GRIDDEES DUE ON
COAST TODAY**

San Francisco, Dec. 22.—(U.P.)—Forty-four of the nation's leading football players were due in San Francisco today for a public welcome which will precede the annual east-west charity game on New Year's day.

The all-eastern squad under Coach Andy Kerr of Colgate and Dick Hanley of Northwestern were to arrive in company with eight midwest and southwest members of the all-western team under Dana X. Bible of Nebraska.

Pacific coast stars chosen by Percy Lacey of San Francisco Olympic club were to join them in a parade from the railroad station to the city hall, where Governor Rolph and Mayor A. J. Rossi were waiting to greet them. The easterners will establish training quarters at Stanford university in Palo Alto and the westerners will cross the bay to Berkeley, using the University of California campus.

Allen Teeter, Minnesota end, Pete Somers, Minnesota back, and Ross Rehholz, Wisconsin back, are members of the eastern team.

Appointed Chairman Street Committee

William Coyne, first ward alderman, was appointed chairman of the street committee of the city council by action of the council last night.

Coyne succeeds in the committee post held by the late Christ H. Elvig, third ward alderman.

SERVICE MOTOR CO. RENEWS CAR AGENCY

Robert Nicholl, president of the Service Motor Co., Front street, has returned from a conference in Duluth and announces that the company has

been designated the agency for the 1932 Oakland Pontiac cars in a renewal of contract.

The Oakland Motor Car Co. plans shortly to introduce a new line of cars. All departments of the factory are on a full time basis with some departments working nights as well, according to word received here from Pontiac, Mich.

Vinegar Rub

Give your furniture a vinegar rub every once in a while. To do this dip a soft cloth in vinegar, wring dry and wipe the furniture with it. Polish with a dry cloth and you will get a fine gloss.

CHRISTMAS CAROLS PLEASE ROTARIANS

**NIGHTINGALE SINGERS LIVE
THEIR NAMES IN TALENTED
PRESENTATION**

The Brainerd Rotary Club was entertained at noon today by the Nightingale Singers, directed by Mrs. Louis Knudsen.

The girls sang Christmas carols. They appeared in costume. The singers were: Betty Robertson, Lois Clau-

sen, Kathryn Albright, Helen Bane, Helen Sheets, Doris Geist, Doris Kinney.

In compliment to the girls, Geo. D. LaBar stated that they had been singing for more than ten years and that the personnel was first organized when the singers were children in the grade schools.

S. R. Hickerson, in charge of the entertainment, presented each member of Rotary with a Christmas stocking in compliment to the enterprise each is engaged in.

Gets Snow Removal Work

L. C. Kuschel, Brainerd, has been awarded a contract of \$2.50 an hour

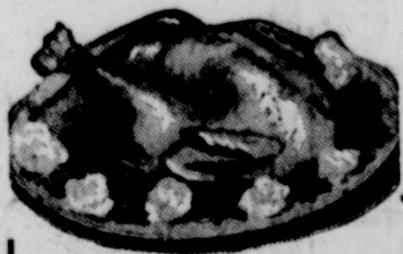
he works this winter in the removal of snow from city streets. The contract was entered into by the city council last night. Kuschel will furnish a three and a half ton truck while the city will provide the snow plow and one man to operate it.

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Military Brushes
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BABE RUTH HEADS LIST THAT MUST TAKE WAGE SLASH

HACK WILSON, WHO RANKED SECOND TO BAMBINO LAST YEAR, FACES BIG CUT

New York, Dec. 22.—(U.P.)—Indications are that the 1932 big league payroll will be the smallest in years.

In 1931 they approximated \$2,000,000 with Babe Ruth's \$80,000 contract topping the list. Col. Jacob Ruppert, owner of the Yankees, has announced that Ruth must take a cut for 1932. It is believed unlikely that the big slugger's new contract will call for more than \$60,000—possibly with a bonus arrangement whereby Ruth can earn his old salary if he has a brilliant season.

Hack Wilson, who ranked second to Ruth last season at \$35,000, will be fortunate if he drags down half that figure in 1932. Many other high paid stars who experienced disappointing seasons in 1931—Babe Herman, Dazzy Vance, Glenn Wright, Lefty O'Doul and Babe Phelps of Brooklyn; Eddie Morgan of Cleveland; Lloyd Waner and Pie Traynor of the Pirates; Pinky Whitney of the Phils; Gabby Hartnett of the Cubs; and Firpo Marberry of the Senators, included—also appear slated for salary slashes.

Directors of the Brooklyn club met yesterday to consider salaries and while no official announcement was forthcoming, it indicated that a general reduction was voted. The Robins of recent years have been one of the best paying clubs in baseball with average players drawing down double the salaries they would earn elsewhere while Vance, Herman, O'Doul, Wright and Frederick were paid from \$15,000 to \$25,000. Next year, it is intimated, no player on the squad will receive more than \$15,000.

The only salary increases in prospect for 1932 are for youngsters who enjoyed exceptional success. Pepper Martin doubtless will receive a substantial raise from the St. Louis Cardinals. One or two other brilliant rookies are destined for similar treatment.

Ottawa.—The Dominion government has full control over all aviation in Canada as a result of the recent ruling of the judicial committee of the privy council. This takes the management of aviation from the hands of provincial authorities and gives Canada a chance to centralize control and establish a uniformity of air regulations.

Basketball Results

By United Press
Loyola 29; Washington University 19.
Butler 22; Illinois 17.
Notre Dame 32; Northwestern 25.
Marquette 26; Wisconsin 28.
Utah 45; Colorado Aggies 28.
St. Thomas 17; St. Paul Y. M. C. A. 15.
Yale 24; Toledo U. 23.
Columbia 31; Harvard 22.
Dartmouth 28; Syracuse 19.
Kansas 24; Pittsburgh 23.

Kelly Takes Fielding

Honors in Association

Chicago, Dec. 22.—(U.P.)—"Long George" Kelly, of Minneapolis, finished in first place for fielding honors in the American association for the 1931 season, it was announced today. Kelly's .994 average was the best of those compiled in 100 games or more.

It is reported that more than 40 per cent of the wealth of the United States is controlled by women.

OHIO STATE VIEWED AS CAGE THREAT IN BIG TEN FIRST TIME

WINNER OF BUT ONE BIG TEN CAGE TITLE, BUCKEYES MAY GO FARTHER THIS YEAR

Chicago, Dec. 22.—(U.P.)—Ohio State, luckless winner of but one Big Ten basketball title, may strike unexpectedly this season at the expense of more seriously feared conference contenders.

The challenge of Coach Harold G. Olsen's all-Ohio squad—all but one of 19 varsity players are Ohioans—is its young giants. Six-foot sophomores threaten positions of the four more experienced letter men who returned. Since 1927 the Buckeyes have lacked a tall center to control the tip-off at least part of the time. They thought

this problem was solved when Wilmer Hoskett, Dayton, a sophomore who stands six feet four, joined the squad. He was declared ineligible yesterday.

Frederick Conrad, Wooster, another giant sophomore, today was assigned to the tip-off position. He had teamed previously with Herbert Brown, Dayton, at forwards. Conrad is but half an inch shorter than Hoskett, but is new to the center post. He was an end during the football season.

Capt. Joseph Hoffer, Youngstown, and Howard Mattison, Erie, Pa., both letter men, probably will occupy the guard positions much of the season. Hoffer is a senior. He and Ralston Russell, Pomeroy, a center, are the only regulars to be graduated next June. Mattison is the only out-of-state player on the roster.

These players showed good form in downing a pre-conference foe, Missouri, 30 to 17. Previously the Buckeyes beat Ohio University, last year's state conference champions, 25 to 18.

Coach Olsen begins this season his tenth year as Buckeye basketball mentor.

FORMER B.H.S. STARS CLASH WITH VARSITY IN ANNUAL CAGE CLASSIC WEDNESDAY

DEMPSEY TO SEEK BOUTS WITH RISK, LEVINSKY SOON

FORMER HEAVYWEIGHT CHAMPION ALSO HAS EYE ON JACK SHARKEY

Salt Lake City, Utah, Dec. 22.—(U.P.)—Jack Dempsey wants to take on the Chicago fish peddler, King Levinsky, and Johnny Risko, the Cleveland baker boy. And if he fights for the world's championship he would like to abandon the trades and takes on the Lithuanian sailor boy, Jack Sharkey.

The Manassa Mauler, returned from the one night stands against the prides of a score of towns to spend Christmas with his mother here, so delivered himself.

"I want to take on some of these better boys," he said. "Good competition is what I need."

Dempsey, whose terrific punching power made him one of the most popular fighters the ring has ever known, revealed that the old punch is not at its best.

"I can take them. This trip has proved that to me. None of those boys could hurt me—but I couldn't flatten them the way I wanted to. I think it's a question of a little more training."

Dempsey said his timing was not perfect. He believes the power to deliver a devastating punch still remains, but that he is not getting his punches timed properly.

Dempsey, who never has been particularly fond of Sharkey, declared the ex-gob to be the set-up of the contemporary crop of heavies.

Tulane Special Halts at Tucson for Workout

Tucson, Ariz., Dec. 22.—(U.P.)—The Green Wave special, with the Tulane football team and an advance guard of rooters, arrived here before sunrise this morning from El Paso, Tex.

The Greenies were slated for a long workout today, before leaving for Pasadena, where they will meet the University of Southern California New Year's day, late this afternoon.

Coach Bernie Bierman, who will go to Minnesota next season, gave his team two workouts Monday, the first in the desert, 100 miles east of El Paso, where the special was held up for six hours by a freight train wreck ahead.

When the team got into El Paso at 3 p. m. they were hustled off to the El Paso high school field for another session, which was a very complete drill. It included scrimmaging against Southern California plays.

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WARRIORS PEEL SPUDS 28-16 AND SECONDS HELP DOWN BEMIDJI 19-11

DAMMANN MEN CLICK TO DEFEAT MOORHEAD, REGIONAL CHAMPS

Using that same mystifying, slow breaking offense, the Brainerd Warriors, in consecutive games, trounced two of the strong teams of the state in battles that displayed, as well as the managing power, the versatility of a truly great team.

The fellows went into the Moorhead game with a determination to upset all the dope. They played heads up basketball through the entire tussle and ended up on the long end of a 16-28 count.

Coach Wm. Dammann deserves much credit for his production of a smooth working defense that more than once turned the renowned Spuds from the door of scoring.

It must have been the thought of last year's tournament defeat that spurred the home boys on to such a decisive victory over a team that has, for the last eight years, held the regional championship. It is also noteworthy that these Spuds have twice been state champions.

The boys clicked in fine shape and not once let a chance slip. They were fighting in what seemed to be a game of revenge. A play used in the closing quarter was "something new" and easily resulted in a field goal. It was well executed by the Wygle brothers and Capt. Foster.

The two new guards need not be forgotten at this time. Gabiou, grid star, displayed his usual serenity while Larson fought his way through to the limelight. He played conscientious ball and more than once broke up plays.

The box score follows:

Brainerd	FG.	FT.	PF.	TPS.
Foster, F.	5	0	1	10
B. Wygle, F.	3	9	1	6
G. Wygle, C.	3	2	1	8
Gabiou, G.	0	0	1	0
Larson, G.	2	0	3	4
Templeton, F.	0	0	0	0
Swanson, C.	0	0	0	0
Totals	13	2	7	28

Moorhead	FG.	FT.	PF.	TPS.
Lange, F.	3	1	0	7
Morrison, F.	0	1	0	1
Erickson, C.	0	0	0	0
Knauf, G.	0	0	1	0
DuVall, G.	2	2	2	6
Sturgen, F.	1	0	0	2
Holzer, F.	0	0	0	0
Totals	6	0	3	16

On Friday night the Dammann prodigies played a game far inferior to their ability. They went into the game more or less care-free and though they held their own, the Bemidji delegation looked threatening.

Substitutions followed. An entire reserve squad replaced the regulars. These reserves showed themselves worthy of mention. Though they gained only two points, going in with a six point lead and coming out with an eight, they showed thoroughly the reserve strength which constantly "backs up" the first squad.

In this group Swanson took the tip-off from his opponent who towered inches above him. Smith also made a creditable showing, following the ball to chalk up a field goal and a free throw. He was fast and thorough on every play. The other seconds also made a very good showing.

The Brainerd-Bemidji box score:

Brainerd	FG.	FT.	PF.	TPS.
Foster, F.	1	0	2	2
Smith, F.	1	0	1	2
Wygle, F.	1	1	1	3
Templeton, F.	1	1	1	3
G. Wygle, C.	0	2	1	2
Swanson, C.	1	0	0	2
Gabiou, G.	0	0	0	0
Garvey, G.	0	0	1	0
Larson, G.	2	1	0	5
White, G.	0	1	2	1
Anderson, F.	0	0	0	0
Totals	6	7	8	19

Taylor's Freshmen Class Have Christmas Tree

Have you heard the latest? The Freshmen had a Christmas tree. It was in Mr. Taylor's science room. The tree was all decorated with icicles, tinsel and Christmas tree balls. There was even a miniature pair of roller skates on it and last but not least, a rabbit's foot addressed to Mr. Taylor from "Santa."

Christmas Seal Drive Amounts to \$23.91

Another annual Christmas seal drive is over and the donations of the high school amounted to \$23.91.

The seals for the fund were sold by the teachers in each first period class. The high school has received an open team play ball for each three dollars worth of seals sold. If this practice is continued the school will receive seven new indoor balls this year.

Exchange

The Crosbronite Crosby-Ironton-Miss Adelbert Thomas of the Cleanliness Institute lectured to the senior high school on personality and attractiveness.

The Augsburg Echo, Augsburg Seminary-Mildred Larson and Olaf Heland represented Augsburg at the annual conference of the Lutheran Students Association of America, held at the St. Cloud Teachers College. The theme was "Achieving the Best."

Hamline Oracle, Hamline University-Lynn Beyer, senior at Hamline university, was selected as one of four Rhodes scholars from this district which comprises six states, Minnesota, Iowa, North and South Dakota, Nebraska and Missouri. Mr. Beyer as one of the two Minnesota candidates went to Des Moines to be interviewed with other district candidates by the district selection committee.

Teachers' Training Notes

With lightened hearts amid an array of beautiful hand made Christmas gifts and Santa Claus, created by Miss Ried from apples, marshmallows and cotton, the various members of the Teachers Training Department adjourned for the two week Christmas vacation, Friday afternoon.

The gifts were made by the students as part of their Christmas projects. There was a display of many varieties ranging from toys that would delight the heart of a two year old to gifts that would be well received by our beneficent grandparents. Stuffed rabbits and elephants, hand painted pictures, clothes pin bags, holders, towels, aprons, book ends, doll furniture, vases, multi-colored boxes, belts made from paper and shellacked were representative in all their Christmas glory. These gifts were all the products of the student's ingenuity and the results were rather gratifying.

Miss Ried gave the jolly old Santa as her contribution to the collection.

The Department jointly attended the program given in the Junior Assembly by the eighth grade. The students received some good ideas for Christmas programs which they will have to give when they have schools of their own next year.

UNIQUE PEP FEST HELD PRIOR TO MOORHEAD GAME

MR. MELBY AND LYLE ANDERSON BROADCAST IN RADIO PROGRAM

Last Thursday the most unique pep fest of the year was held in the auditorium at 9:45. A prophesy of the Brainerd-Moorhead game was given in the form of a play with Frances Reese, Dorothy Kinney, Elizabeth Patterson, Eleanor Severson, Gladys Schubert and Doris Glanville as the youthful coeds listening in over the radio.

Before the game was over Mr. Melby gave his own version of the story of Little Red Riding Hood as a part of the children's hour.

Between bursts of static the Carolina Crooners were heard singing "When It's Springtime in the Rockies."

It was announced along with all the other pre-game dope that the Faculty Phantoms had been defeated by the Sing Sing prison five. After hearing songs and cheers from Brainerd rooters the game finally got under way. G. Wygle sank a basket for Brainerd and Lange sank one for Moorhead a few moments later.

The students were asked to report in the gym at 8:00 to see the rest of the game.

Dot's Dash

All alone on Christmas Eve. Without a home-what could be worse. No one to go to when I want—A smile instead of a curse.

Standing on a corner waiting—Waiting for some one I know. Walking around the icy streets. Unaware of the cold white snow.

Gazing into each face as they pass. Hoping with all my might—But no one ever smiles back at me. I pass on into the night.

The homes are bright with Christmas lights. The streets are deserted now—I want to go home tonight—I want to go home—but how?

I was a fool to leave that I know. I have learned my lesson at last. But see look only up on the future. It can't be as dreary as the past.

DOROTHY MAGHAN

NOTICE

During the Christmas vacation there will be no publication of the weekly Brainerdian. The first edition of the new year will appear January 5, 1932.

ALUMNI

Those home from the University of Minnesota are: Evelyn Loom, Bernice Steinfeldt, Roger Kleven, Russell Nelson, Otto Dahl, Margaret Jackson, Elsie Swanson, Helen Bane, Milton Ginsburg, Lee Folsom, Milton Downey, John Hoffbauer, David Weber, Malcolm Ellison, Carl Zapfe, Clarence and Claude Holden. Those home from the St. Cloud Teachers College are: Catherine Sheets, Alice Peterson, Mildred Johnson, Vina Gilmer, Elizabeth Kinsmiller, Muriel Goedderz, Richard Ebert.

Those home from other colleges are: Katherine Albright, Calhoun Secretarial School; Louise Clausen, St. Olaf; Gerald Cass and Carl Holvick, Wahpeton Engineering School; Gay Kinney and John Chadbourne, John Fletcher's College; Lillian Soliday, Duluth; Stuart Patterson, Macalester; William McCannahan and Adolph Erickson, Carleton; LeRoy Wyett, St. Mary's; Marie Hoffbauer and Arline Hagberg, Minneapolis School of Business.

TRI-HI PLANS ALUMNI REUNION

REUNION PLANS TO BE MADE DURING VACATION

Again the Tri-Hi assembled in the Y for further discussion on the reorganization of the club room and kitchen. Since the last meeting was held, new curtains have been put up in the kitchen and a new cupboard set up. As soon as the cupboard has been painted and a new rug bought, it is quite probable that no other improvements will be needed, as the club seems to think it quite alright as it is. The recreation committee, chosen from the Tri-Hi, has purchased the material for the new drapes in the club room and the following Tri-Hi committees have been chosen to sew them and see that they are hung, sometime during Christmas vacation: Hildegarde Holm, chairman, Evelyn Foster, Katherine Smith and Margaret Graft. This committee will act as quickly as possible.

All absences and tardiness were read and as a result, those members who have missed two meetings in succession must appear before the cabinet in self defence at the next meeting.

Some sort of entertainment will be planned during the vacation for the purpose of getting all the alumni and present members of the two clubs together. A special meeting will be called before further notice is given to the entire clubs as to what is to be done for this reunion.

Warriors Go To Camp

Our Warriors decided to go to camp for a week.

The next morning the camp was in an uproar. The last bell was ringing. Camp No. 1 was under the most difficulties. The boys were not used to picking up their clothes and putting them away. They were entirely spoiled. Their sweet sisters had always done it at home. McPherson comes running out minus a shirt although something was wrapped around his shoulders. Apparently pillowcases and shirts look alike in McPherson's eyes because that was what he had on. Out darts Foster, his cold weather garment showing beneath his unlaced shoes.

The officer checks roll. Swanson, Wygle, Gabiou, Larson, missing! Swanson comes up to the officer panting, his dimples showing for their glory. The officer asks why he is late and Swanson replies that he had just received a letter from a dear friend at home. The officer says he hopes he doesn't get too excited, but he sympathizes with him if he does because he has gone through the same thrill.

At that moment Wygle comes and the same question is asked him at which Wygle replies that the table and he couldn't get out at the same time so consequently they stuck. While Wygle is explaining Gabiou comes running and his excuse was that he had written home one week ago because he was broke. He had just received a letter from home and he couldn't resist the temptation to open it and see a twenty-five dollar bill fall out.

Out comes Larson, barefooted, and he tells the officer that his mother gave him the wrong shoes. She sent him his sister's spikes and he wasn't used to walking on spikes. At last they're ready to march. "March!" said the officer. Instead of marching, everybody fell. They had forgotten to lace their shoes. Time out was taken but somehow things didn't go so good, and at last the officer gave up in despair. He told them to go back but to come tomorrow dressed fully!

Percy Turcotte and Van Twist don't seem to get much studying done in fifth period assembly. Maybe it's on by the Christmas spirit.

CHRISTMAS OPERETTA, "THE GIFT," PRESENTED BY GLEE CLUBS FRIDAY

A Song in My Heart

I always have a song in my heart,
 As I trudge on the highways of life,
 A song as I walk thru' the rain and the storms,
 As I put up with unbearing strife.

It's useless to sit and cry all in vain.
 When luck doesn't come your way;
 It's better to stand up and smile and sing
 And say "Rah! There's another day."

It's hopeless to say "aw! I can't do that."
 Before you even start;
 I try and I know that I'll always succeed
 If I keep a song in my heart.

A song in my heart is worth fortunes to me,
 It's priceless to me it seems;
 It's the only way I'll ever find out
 What really true happiness means.

Lost Melodies

Little lost melodies, tiny mystical tunes,
 Telling of flowers, lovers and moons,
 Taunting half whispers on breezes unfurled,
 Floating away to hypnotize the world,
 Words don't matter, they vanish too soon.

All the earth o'er, a tune is a tune!
 Music enchaning can fall from a strain.
 Enthralling the ear that has sought it in vain
 Greatest of arts, minstrel of glee
 Haunting, sweet serenade of lost melody.

LILLIAN EDSTROM.

Biology Classes Plant Garden in Solarium

The biology classes began the study of the human body a week ago last Monday. Various charts have been put on display and projects have been given out. The gardens which the pupils planted are progressing very rapidly. There are beside these gardens several large plants and ferns which the pupils brought from home.

INTRA-MURAL TEAMS TO PLAY HEAVY SCHEDULE

THREE LEAGUES FORMED FOR DIFFERENT WEIGHTS

If some night you should happen to stumble into the gym and see a lot of bugs running around the floor trying to shoot a basketball almost as big as themselves don't be alarmed, it isn't some new species of insects, just the flyweight or animal league that is a part of intra-mural basketball. Besides this league there are two more, namely: the State league or middle-weights and the National league or the big, husky heavyweights. Just at present they are practicing about once a week but after Christmas regular games will start and be played on Friday afternoon like inter-class was last year. Doing this type of basketball with this system gives the smaller boy a great deal more chance when he plays with fellows his own size. From these three classes teams will be picked to play preliminaries for the larger games. These games should prove very interesting to watch and will make good material for coming basketball teams. The first team had better watch their step or some little fellow is going to step into their shoes.

Miss Haug's English Classes Make Projects

Miss Haug's English classes have been busy doing interesting work during the past week.

They are studying "Idylls of the King" and "The Merchant of Venice." Carved castle were handed in by Cedric Hughes, Delma Peterson and Ralph Johnson. These castles were very attractive. Helen Ferabrand handed in a shield which she had made. A number of very good drawings were made by Henry Lake. All the pupils are doing contract work which will be due after Christmas.

The Boys' Glee Club, consisting of forty voices, is doing very satisfactory work considering the fact that only inexperienced voices were available at the beginning of the year.

Mr. Ellertson's bookkeeping classes have just finished working on elementary book work and expect to work on a regular set of books at the beginning of the next term. Mr. Ellertson seems very satisfied with the classes and says that they are from two to three weeks ahead of the schedule.

MISSES OERTING, RICKARD, OLSON SUPERVISE NEW TYPE OF CHRISTMAS PLAY

One of the most unique Christmas programs ever presented before the Brainerd high school student body was given on Friday morning at 9:30 under the sponsorship of Misses Oerting, Rickard, and Olson, who spent hours in drilling and practicing for the morning performance. The orchestra under the direction of Miss Rickard furnished the background during the entire play with "Adeste Fideles" and "Silent Night."

The setting of the play was in the 16th century in England. The carol singers, Virginia Rowland, Virginia Riecke, Westly Small, and Ralph Purdy entered from the back, bearing lanterns, and singing "Silent Night." The play centered about a young girl, Elsiebeth (Rosemary McKenna), who was living with her supposed uncle (Cyril DeRosier) and on Christmas eve all of her friends come to see her. Mary (Virginia Wilson) and Sir Arthur (Richard Rice) come to bestow a gift. Mary has made but Tom, the servant boy (Alfred Menz) announces they can not see her. This leads to an investigation and it is found Elsiebeth is Elizabeth Cowdry, a very rich young lady who has been cruelly treated by the footman who has pretended to be her uncle. Since it is Christmas eve Elsiebeth gives the deceiving Thomas his freedom.

The play was varied with dancing by Josephine Brennan, Lorraine Flansburg, Virginia Wilson, Margaret Gustafson and Rosemary McKenna, jesting by Irving Steinfeldt, and fighting by the mummies—Lee Clarkson, Charles Mackie, and Donald Hanson. The carol singers also added variety to the program.

The costumes were cleverly made by the sewing classes. The cast was as follows:

Mary—Virginia Wilson.
 Harold—George Anderson.
 Sir Arthur—Richard Rice.
 Helen—Margaret Gustafson.
 Tom—Alfred Menz.
 Elsiebeth—Rosemary McKenna.
 Ann—Josephine Brennan.
 Jester—Irving Steinfeldt.
 Thomas—Cyril DeRosier.
 Watchman—William Fisher.
 Mummies—Donald Hanson, Lee Clarkson, Charles Mackie.
 Dame—Hope Bakken.
 Margaret—Lorraine Flansburg.

Skool Skandel

We hear that Allan Paine and Gladys Gudmenson had a very jolly time at the sophomore party a few weeks ago. Tak-tak, these youngsters are learning faster than we elders realize.

"Squak" Nelson's mother must comb his hair for him now. It looks quite nice lately.

There is a sophomore with the initials A. P. who is madly infatuated with Miss Swanson. We don't blame him much, but who is the unknown quantity?

Why did Fred Doepeke have such a long face during the first half of the senior banquet? Anna pretends that he doesn't know. This must be the beginning of another family tie.

Who is it Toi Koelck fell so hard for at the Moorhead game?

Somebody gave Mr. Ellertson an empty ginger ale bottle for an Christmas present. The old feanines!

Hi-Y Alumni Skating Party to be Held at Campbell's Cottage

At the meeting of the Hi-Y last Wednesday night Ross Olmsted, a visiting alumni, who was one of the most active members in '29 and '30 was present. The club and the alumni are going to hold a stag skating party during holidays at Parker Campbell's cottage on Long Lake. The whole thing was left up to Ross Olmsted. During the week a committee has met and had planned a dance. It was brought up at meeting and received with enthusiasm. The committee is going to be held at Odd Fellows hall while the meet again to further plans. It is to orchestra has not been chosen as there was some doubt as to the financial side of the question. After the regular meeting a cabinet meeting was held in which the religious side of Hi-Y was discussed. Just before adjournment Ross Olmsted gave a short psychology test.

New Ticket Booths Constructed in Gym

New ticket windows have been cut into the old ticket booths at the south entrance of the gym, to accommodate the many Warrior fans. A new booth with two windows has just been completed from Mr. Melby's dressing rooms at the southeast entrance, from which the sellers will be able to handle the crowds much more rapidly than previously.

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LIVESTOCK, PRODUCE AND GRAIN MARKETS

SOUTH ST. PAUL LIVESTOCK
 South St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 22.—(AP)—CATTLE—Receipts 12,000. Market—Trade opening slow, steer run largely short feds, bulk \$3.50-4.50; beef cows \$2.50-3.50; heifers \$3-4; low cutters and cutters \$1.75-2.25; bulls \$2.75-3.25; stockers and feeders, inquiry limited. Calves—Receipts 1,500. Market vealers strong to 50c higher, \$3.50-5, close sorted \$5.50.

HOGS—Receipts 11,000. Market fairly active, steady with Monday; 180-250 lb. wts. \$3.90-4; top 34 paid for 180-210 lb. wts.; 250-300 lb. wts. \$3.60-3.90; 130-180 lb. wts. \$3.50-3.90; packing sows \$3.15-3.35; pigs \$3.50. Average cost previous market day, \$3.83. Average weight previous market day, 194.

SHEEP—Market, no early bids, undertone weak, buyers talking lower; late Monday feeding lambs, \$5.25.

CHICAGO PRODUCE
 Chicago, Dec. 22.—(AP)—EGGS—Market firm; receipts 1,975 cases; extra firsts 29c; firsts 27-28c; current receipts 26-25c; seconds 12-15c.

BUTTER—Market unsettled; receipts 10,524 tubs; extras 29-30c; extra firsts 27-28c; firsts 24-25c; seconds 23-24c; standards 25-26c.

POULTRY—Market strong; receipts one car; fowls 13-14c; springers 16-16-1/2c; leghorns 11c; ducks 14-15c; geese 15c; turkeys 20-22c; roosters 10c.

CHEESE—Twins, 13-13-1/2c; Young Americans, 13-13-1/2c.

POTATOES—On track 221; arrivals 41; shipments 342; market weak; Wisconsin Round Whites 70-80c; Idaho Russets \$1.35-1.60; Colorado McClures \$1.20-1.35.



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